## St. Mark's Episcopal Church - 90 Main St., New Britain, CT

#### The Twenty-second Sunday After Pentecost - October 29, 2023

Longterm prayers are asked for: Stacey Albert, Irene Alibrio, Patricia Anderson, Georgie Bethel, Bill Briggs, Barbara Canzonetti, Elora Cass, Jose Chavez, Bea Chevalier, Cletus Cone, Patricia Cone, Cheryl Hanson, Norm Holland, Gary Hudkins, Margaret Hughes, Mike Krumrine, Florence Kruvka, Claire Lucid, Ann Maltais, Manny Monteiro, Kelly Nauss, Rae Robinson, Francis and Joann Rusczyk, Brody Searle, Harry Thompson, and Frank Williams.

**Healing:** Rev. Joan Phelps, Elsa Repaki, Barbara Campbell, Dan Maglio, Joe Howard, Janet Marshall, Betty Ann Hadder, Manny Monteiro, Ben Gryk, and Mary Balza.

**ECCT Cycle of Prayer:** Emmanuel, Weston; Christ & Holy Trinity, Westport; the health and well-being of persons employed by The Episcopal Church; the Presiding Bishop and the President of the House of Deputies of The Episcopal Church.

**Those who serve our country:** Ryan Alexander, Tiana Baptiste, Ryan Beaudoin, Parker Browne, Michael Johnston, and Ed Priesser.

**Parish families:** Thomas and Anna Griffen, BettyAnn Hadder, Manny Monteiro and Anothy Hadder, and John and Agnes Hartan and family.

Those who have died, and those who are remembered today: Deceased members of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

PRAYER CHAIN: To activate the chain call or email:

Barbara Campbell - Phone: 860-6737607 Email: campbellba24@gmail.com

Please remember to send in your pledges and offerings to the parish. The mail in the St. Mark's post office box is picked up several times a week. Your pledge payments are compiled at least once a month and deposited.

Mailing address for financial contributions:

St. Mark's Episcopal Church PO Box 1538 New Britain, CT 06050-1538 or send checks electronically to the Church via your bank.

St. Marks keeps going in God's way, God's time, and to God's glory.

The worship services, the parish office, and ministry to the community adapt and continue. Your contributions of time, talent, and treasure are appreciated to make it happen.

The Food Pantry ministry continues on Mondays (9 to 2) and Thursdays (9 to 2).

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This Sunday, October 29, 2023 St. Mark's will join the congregations of 90 Main St. to celebrate the fifth Sunday of the October.

The service begins at 11:00 a.m. in the Main Sanctuary.

## **Annual Convention**

The 239th Annual Convention of the Episcopal Church in Connecticut was held on Friday October 27th and Saturday, October 28 at the Connecticut Convention Center in Hartford.

The Annual Convention was Livestreamed on YouTube go to www.episcopalct.org to watch.

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

Sunday, November 5 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Service in the Erwin Chapel -

Stephen Hard, Worship Leader

Wednesday, November 8 5:45 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting

Wednesday, November 8 7:00 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting

Friday, November 10 Veterans Day Observed - Parish Office Closed

Sunday, November 12 10:00 a.m. Services at St. James, 3 Mountain Rd., Farmington

Tuesday, November 14 6:45 p.m. Vestry Meeting - Cooper Hall and Zoom

Sunday, November 19 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Service in the Erwin Chapel -

Stephen Hard, Worship Leader

Thursday, November 23 Thanksgiving Day - Parish Office Closed

Friday, November 24 Parish Office Closed

Sunday, November 26 10:00 a.m. Services at St. James, 3 Mountain Rd., Farmington

## Thank you!

Thank you to all who helped with the merger meeting with St. James and St. Mark's.

A big THANK YOU to Molly Sherman for coordinating the refreshments for the meeting. Please see the November issue of the St. Mark's Message for a more complete thank you list.



# DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS ON NOVEMBER 5TH. REMEMBER TO TURN YOUR CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR!

#### **Responding To Israel-Hamas War**

Please join Episcopal Relief & Development in mourning all those lost to violence. Please continue to <u>pray</u> for peace in the Holy Land and for Episcopal Relief & Development partners who are working to serve all people who come to them seeking treatment and safety.

Support of the <u>Episcopal Relief & Development Middle East Fund</u> will help to address immediate and long-term needs created by the Israel-Hamas war through locally-led partnerships.

https://www.episcopalrelief.org/press-resources/responding-to-israel-hamas-war/